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Application No.:

09/841,299

Confirmation No.:

3896

Filing Date:

April 24, 2001

Inventors:

de Rouffignac et al.

Title:

IN SITU THERMAL

PROCESSING OF A **HYDROCARBON** 

**CONTAINING FORMATION** 

TO INCREASE A POROSITY

OF THE FORMATION

Examiner:

G. A. Suchfield AUG 1 9 2004

Art Unit:

3672

Atty. Dkt. No.:

5659-02500/PERICE OF PETITIONS

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Shell Oil Co. Deposit Account Number 19-1800/TH1950:

1. Petition to Withdraw from Issue Fee

\$130.00

Request for Continued Examination Fee

\$770.00

**TOTAL AMOUNT:** 

\$900.00

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fee or other fees that may be necessary to the same account number. If the above-mentioned account is found to have insufficient funds, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5659-02500/EBM.



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